

Aerial Photogrammetric Flight and Mapping
US-2 – Escanaba River Bridge – JN 79021D – PN 882
Questions and Answers

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Q1. The RFP requests delivery of a copy of the camera calibration report for the camera to be used. These reports are a multi-page document, which if included with the proposal, will place the total number of pages over the prescribed limit. Our firm owns multiple calibrated camera systems. It is not know which will be utilized on the project until the time of the flight due to logistical reasons. Should the calibration report(s) not be provided during the negotiation phase of the process?

A1. The full calibration reports are not required during the vendor selection phase (your Proposal response to the RFP). Since MDOT requires only use of cameras with recent calibrations, please provide a paragraph listing the cameras you own and the date of each camera's most recent calibration. Copies of the full calibration report will only be required of the camera used for the project by the selected vendor.

Q2. The RFP also calls for "check shot" to be used by the consultant during the map checking process. The RFP eludes MDOT will provide 11 check targets. Will the control for these targets by provided from MDOT, or does the consultant need to visit the site and establish the control for the check targets?

A2. The coordinates and control information for all check targets and control targets will be surveyed by MDOT Region Survey crews and the data will be provided by MDOT to the selected Vendor.

Q3. On a previous project, it was indicated that when responding, precedence should be given in the response to the data specified in the RFP, and not Exhibit "F". In other words as I interpret this, gear the response to what is requested in the RFP only, and disregard information in Exhibit "F". Is this still the procedure to be followed?

A3. Yes, Exhibit "F" is the general guideline. The specific information requested in the RFP will be used in scoring the proposals received. Read the RFP closely and provide the information listed in the RFP.